# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

DENNIS E. SMITH, On Behalf Of Himself and All Others Similarly Situated,  Plaintiff,  v.	) ) ) ) ) CIVIL ACTION NO.
VASO ACTIVE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., STEPHEN G. CARTER, and JOHN J. MASIZ, Defendants.	) 04-10708 (RCL) ) ) ) _)
CHRISTOPHER PEPIN, Individually and On Behalf Of All Others Similarly Situated,	) ) )
Plaintiff,	
v.	) CIVIL ACTION NO. ) 04-10763 (RCL)
VASO ACTIVE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., STEPHEN G. CARTER, and JOHN J. MASIZ, Defendants.	) ) _) _)
MODHI GUDE and ARJI GAUTHAMI, On Behalf	
Of Themselves and All Others Similarly Situated,	)
Plaintiffs,	)
v.	) CIVIL ACTION NO. ) 04-10789 (RCL)
VASO ACTIVE PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., STEPHEN G. CARTER, and JOHN J. MASIZ, Defendants.	) ) ) _)

# STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER EXTENDING THE TIME OF THE DEFENDANTS TO ANSWER, MOVE OR OTHERWISE RESPOND TO THE COMPLAINT AND ACCEPTING SERVICE

The parties hereto, by and through their counsel, hereby agree as follows:

In exchange for Plaintiff(s) entering into this stipulation, the defendants agree to accept service of the Complaints in the above-entitled actions, the date of service to be deemed April 13, 2004.

The consolidated amended complaint shall be due sixty (60) days after the Court's selection of a lead plaintiff pursuant to § 21 D(a)(3) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. §§ 78a et seq.).

Defendants shall have sixty (60) days following the filing of the consolidated amended complaint to answer, move or otherwise respond to the complaint.

If the Defendants move to dismiss the consolidated amended complaint, plaintiffs shall have sixty (60) days from the receipt of Defendants' motion to file their opposition(s) thereto.

Following the receipt of plaintiffs' opposition, Defendants shall have thirty (30) days to file a reply brief in support of their motion(s) to dismiss.

Respectfully submitted,

DENNIS E. SMITH, On Behalf of Himself and All Others Similarly Situated,

MODHI GUDE and ARJI GAUTHAMI, On Behalf Of Themselves and All Others Similarly Situated,

CHRISTOPHER PEPIN, Individually and On Behalf All Others Similarly Situated

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IT IS SO ORDERED:
United States District Judge
Dated:

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